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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Six only.

Part B for

SUBJECT.

283/9

Supply of uniform and equipment to Civic Guards.

General and Revenue Secretariat | W File No. 84 of 1940-1 | [App. F. III-2

Serial No.

1 From The IGP. Police.
Sc. 6/41-42 & 13th Jan. 41 requesting sanction of Govt for the supply at a cost not exceeding Rs 4000/- for certain addl articles to the Civic Guards and Group Commanders to be met from the grant under 20 Police Force Equipment & Clothing.

The Cost for the supply of two pairs of Khaki Shorts and two Khaki shirts and a bressad to each Civic Guard has already been met from the Police Budget. The IGP has since suggested the supply of certain addl articles to all Civic Guards and Group Commanders ~~in addn~~ to be provided with a Khaki tunic with medal shorts or badges for use on parade etc in order to distinguish them more readily from the Civic Guards. The private expenditure is about Rs 4000/- as the Scheme has been pointed out by the IGP. Submd for orders whether the IGP's proposal may be sanctioned.

A

(RS 21/7)

2) ~~Please put up~~ What was the Cost involved in A ?
(Please put up file if available)

CPOL 21/7

3 The exact cost is not available and has to be obtained from the IGP. if required. (Vide re appropriation Statement item 1).

W

(RS 21/7)

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

Supply of uniform and equipment to Civic Guards

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4) Sanction has already been accorded to the supply of two pairs of khaki shorts & two khaki shirts and a brassard to each Civic Guard at Govt cost.

5) The I.G.P. now recommends that in addition to the above, each of the C.G.S may be supplied with

1000 each for Guards

(1) Uniform head gear (Field Service caps)	0-6-0 each
(2) Belts (Webbing belts)	0-14-6 each
(3) Shoes (Canvas)	1-4-0 a pair
(4) Khaki Stockings	0-9-6 a pair

100 each for Commanders

(5) Tunics	3-6-0
(6) Shoulder badges	0-1-6 a pair

The total cost would come to about Rs 3500 (or not exceeding Rs 4,000).

6) The Group Commanders, who were consulted on the Parade day, seem to have however, suggested Leather Sandals (3-14-0 each) and belts (1-12-0 each). If these are to be supplied, the cost will come to nearly Rs 7,000 i.e double the above The I.G.P. does not think these necessary.

7) The proposal of the I.G.P to supply the articles indicated in para 5, at a cost not exceeding Rs 4,000 is for orders. (Source in Police budget under etc)

Chief Sec 22/7

Supply of Uniform and Equipment to Civic Guards

Serial No.

DEPUTY SECRETARY'S OFFICE
26 JUL. 1941
NO 674

The proposal of the I.G.P. may be sanctd. As regards Sandals, I think it would be better to give them leather sandals as these would look much during parades &c. This would involve an addl. Expre of Rs 2000 but it is worth incurring. We have to bear in mind the fact that these guards will be called upon to take part in Dasara & other Ceremonial processions.

MK 22/7/41

Law Minister this file Secy

ASI 24.7.41

Dewan

Bre 25/7 MK 26/7

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT
U.O.No.Fi. 4.80.
22 JUL. 1941

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
JUL 25 1941
No 790

Dewan

29/7/41 MK 30.7.41

Kind reference is invited to orders regarding that leather sandals may be supplied to the Civic Guards. A pair costs 3-14-0 instead of Rs 1-4-0 for canvas shoes and the addl expenditure for 1000 leather sandals comes to Rs 2625. The belts are to be Webbing Belts at 0-14-6 each, as suggested by the IGP and not leather belts at 1-12-0 each. Submitted with a draft of a G.O. Since the expenditure is to be met out of the Police Budget perhaps orders may issue in the Police Section.

~~Office order~~ (No harm in issuing from War Secty)

Draft for Consider

QR 30/7 appd MK 30/7

1000 × 2-10-0

~~This~~ This is in accordance with orders.

QR

(RS 30/7)

CHIEF SECRETARY'S Comm. Sheet
30 JUL. 1941
GOVT OF MYSORE

Draft at once. Chief Secy

MK 30/7

Supply of Uniform and Equipment to Civic Guards.

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Financial sanction has agreed. Duplicate analysis herewith.		Fl-cm 354
31/7/41 By		
Cfl 31/7 Issued		
Issues 452-3 & 31st July 41 to the 19 Bns. Complete the 20	2.	

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Tele {gram: POLICE
phone: 2108

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated July 13, 1941.

No. SC.6/41-42.

FROM

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

~~Sir,~~

Pl. put up
13.7.41
BKR 15.7.41

Subject: Supply of uniform and equipment to Civic Guards.

Sir,

I have the honour to invite a reference to your letter No.2200/CB dated 25th November 1940, sanctioning the supply of two pairs of khaki shorts and two khaki shirts and a brassard to each Civic Guard.

It has since been suggested that a uniform headgear, belts, stockings and shoes should also be supplied to all Civic Guards at Government expense, and that Group Commanders should in addition be provided with a khaki tunic with metal shoulder badges for use on parades and ceremonial occasions, in order to distinguish them more readily from the Civic Guards in their group.

The cost of these additional articles is noted below and I therefore request that Government may be pleased to authorise their supply at a cost not exceeding Rs.4,000/-, to be met from the grant under "20 Police Force - Equipment and Clothing".

1. Field service caps	- 1,000 @ 6 annas each	Rs. 375- 0-0
2. Canvas shoes	- 1,000 @ Rs.1-4-0 a pair	1,250- 0-0
3. Webbing belts	- 1,000 @ Re.0-14-6 each	906- 4-0
4. Khaki stockings	Prs.1,000 @ Re.0- 9-6 a pair	593-12-0
5. Tunics for Group Commanders	- 100 @ Rs.3-6-0 each	337- 8-0
6. Shoulder badges for Group Commanders	- 100 pairs @ Re. 0-1-6 a pair.	9- 6-0
		Rs.3,471-14-0

It may be mentioned that after the recent parade of Civic

Civic Guards held at Bangalore in the presence of the Dewan and Ministers, the Group Commanders who were consulted expressed a preference for leather sandals and belts. The cost of these articles would be Rs.3-14-0 and Rs.1-12-0 respectively, making a total expenditure of Rs.6,690/-, nearly double the figure quoted above. For this and other reasons I am in favour of the supply of canvas shoes and webbing belts.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVT. OF H.H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

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READ:-

Letter No.SC.6/41-42 dated the 13th July 1941 from the Inspector-General of Police requesting sanction of Government to the supply of certain additional articles, as noted in the margin, for the Civic Guards and Group Commanders, the cost being met from the grant under "20 Police Force - Equipment and Clothing", ~~and also stating~~

	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Field service caps 1,000 @ 6 annas each	375	0	0
2. Canvas shoes 1,000 @ Rs.1/4/- a pair.	1,250	0	0
3. Webbing belts 1,000 @ Rs.0-14-6 each.	906	4	0
4. Khaki stockings 1,000 pairs @ Rs.0-9-6 a pair.	593	12	0
5. Tunics for Group Commanders.. 100 @ Rs.3/6/each	337	8	0
6. Shoulder badges for Group Commanders - 100 pairs @ Rs.0-1-6 a pair	9	6	0
Total - Rs.	3,471	14	0

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ORDER NO. 452-3/W 84-40-2 dt 31.7.41

Dated, Bangalore,

Govt. consider that leather sandals at a cost of Rs.3/14/- a pair may be supplied to the Civic Guards instead of canvas shoes at Rs.1-4-0 a pair, as suggested by the I.G.P. Sanction is accorded to the supply of the marginally noted articles at an estimated cost noted against each, the expenditure being met out of the grant under "20 Police Force - Equipment and Clothing."

	Rs.	A.	P.
1.Field service caps, 1000 @ 6 annas each	375	0	0
2.Leather sandals 1000 @ Rs.3/14/- a pair.	3,875	0	0
3.Webbing belts 1000 @ Rs.0-14-6 each.	906	4	0
4.Khaki stockings 1000 pairs @ Rs.0-9-6 a pair	593	12	0
5.Tunics for Group Commanders, 100 @ Rs.3-6-0 each	337	8	0
6.Shoulder badges for Group Commanders 100 pairs @ Rs.0-1-6 a pair.	9	6	0
Total -Rs.	6096	14	0

1115 30.7.41

Chief Secy. to Govt.

To

The I.G. of Police.
The Comptroller through Finl. Sectt.

Copy to Police War Section.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:—

Letter No.SC.6/41-42 dated the 13th July 1941 from the Inspector-General of Police requesting sanction of Government to the supply of certain additional articles, as noted in the margin, for the Civic Guards and Group Commanders, the cost being met from the grant under "20 Police Force-Equipment and Clothing".

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3. Webbing belts, 1000 @ Rs.0-14-6 each -	906	4	0
4. Khaki stockings, 1000 @ Rs.0-9-6 a pair -	593	12	0
5. Tunics for Group Commanders, 100 @ Rs.3/6/each.	337	8	0
6. Shoulder badges for Group Commanders, 100 @ Rs.0-1-6 a pair. -	9	6	0
Total - Rs.	3,471	14	0

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ORDER NO. 452-3/W
W 94-40-2
Dated, Bangalore, the 31st July 1941.

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Leather sandals, 1000 pairs @ Rs.3/14/- a pair.	3,875	0	0
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Tunics for Group Commanders 100 @ Rs.3-6-0 each.	337	8	0
Shoulder badges for Group Commanders 100 pairs @ Rs.0-1-6 a pair.	9	6	0
Total - Rs.	6,096	14	0

For Chief Secretary to Government.

To The Inspector-General of Police.
The Comptroller to Govt., through Finl. Sectt.

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Total - Rs.	6,096	14	0

Sanction is accorded to the supply of the marginally noted articles at an estimated cost noted against each, the expenditure being met out of the grant under "20 Police Force - Equipment and Clothing".

For Chief Secretary to Government.

To The Inspector-General of Police.
The Comptroller to Govt., through Finl. Sectt.

D. O. No. A.R.I 41-42 W 84-40-3 1048/W

Genl.

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

BANGALORE
7-1-1942.

In addition to the usual brassards it is proposed to issue badges to A.R.P. volunteers enrolled in the State according to the sample already shown to you by the Special A.R.P. Officer. Since this bears the emblem of the 'Gandabherunda' I presume that the previous permission of His Highness will be required for its use and shall be grateful if you will be good enough to obtain and communicate the same.

Yours sincerely,
[signature]

RAJASEVAPRASAKTA
B.T.Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

Subd for perusal and orders whether the Hyness may be addressed to obtain permission

This seems necessary

[signature]
8/1/42

Chief Secy

G3.
Please find out if this is necessary.
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Subd. It does not seem to be necessary to obtain permission for using this

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
8. JAN. 19[illegible]
GOVT OF MYSORE

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

WD 04155—GPB—55,000—23-10-41

1048/W.

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emblem in the Police Deptt., where it is already in use in the uniforms of Police officers. Law is one

9/1. Law Minister & Diwan

11/5 9.1.42

Subd with a draft reply with 15B

RS 10/1 For Secretary Sir

11/5 10/1/42

Issued No 1145-9/W of 10-1-42 to the J. G. P.

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 10.1.42

Signed by Mr. S.K.V. Iyer.

Subject to approval

List of enclosures.....

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Examined by.....

Section War

File No. 84-40

Serial No. 4

No. 1459/W

To The I.G.P. Police.

Sir, With reference to your D.O. No. A.R.P. 72/41-42 dated 7th Jan. 42 I am directed to state that there is no objection to use the emblem of the Gandabherunda in the badges to be supplied to A.R.P. volunteers enrolled in the State provided it is considered unnecessary to obtain the permission of H.M. for using this emblem since it is already in use in the uniforms of Police officers.

for Chief Secy. to Govt.

WD 086—GPB—40,000—30-7-40

10th January 1942.

No 1459/W.
W84-40-4

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

With reference to your D.O. letter No.A.R.P.72 dated the 7th January 1942, I am directed to state that there is no objection to use the emblem of the 'Gandabherunda' on the badges to be supplied to A.R.P. Volunteers enrolled in the State.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

1224 W.

Supply of Webbing Belts for Civic Guards

General and Revenue Secretariat | (1) File No. 8/4 of 1940-1 | [App. F. III—2

Serial No.

From The I.G. of Police

Sc. 106/41-42 & 20th Feby. 42 requesting sanction to the enhanced rate of Re. 1-2/- a belt and to the purchase made without ref. to G.O.C.

Subd for perusal with a draft G.O for consideration.

for approval

Chief Secy.) 23/2/42

Law Secy.)

Dft. G.O. Rules.

For perusal

Issued No. 1880-81/W dt 25-2-42 to the I.G.P. & the Comptroller thro' F.S.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
FEB 24 1942
No 8410

23 FEB. 1942 GOVT. OF MYSORE

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

WD 04155—GPB—55,000—23-10-41

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Tele {gram: POLICE / phone: 2108

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

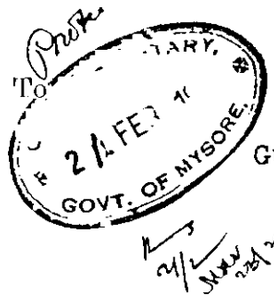
OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. Sc.106/41-42.

Bangalore, dated.....February 20, 1942.....

FROM

E. G. B. PEEL, ESQ., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.



To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Supply of Webbing belts for Civic Guards.

Sir,

With reference to Government Order No.452-2/W.W.84-40-2 dated the 31st July 1941, sanctioning inter alia the supply of Webbing belts at an estimated cost of 0-14-6 each, I have the honor to state that since the receipt of this order, the quality of the webbing and the type of buckle originally selected had to be slightly altered. Consequently, the rate originally accepted had to be enhanced to Re.1-2-0 a belt and orders were placed by me directly with Messrs.Moosa Raza Saheb Sons, as a reference to the Stores Purchase Committee would have involved considerable delay and a further increase in price.

The Comptroller to Government has raised an objection on the bill of the supplier that the sanction of Government is required to the enhanced rate of Re.1-2-0 a belt and to the purchase made without reference to the Stores Purchase Committee.

In the circumstances, I have the honor to request that the sanction of Government may kindly be conveyed to the enhanced rate and to the purchase made by me.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Inspector General of Police.
(Absent on Tour).

MPR.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVT. OF H.H. THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

READ:-

Govt. Order No.452-3/W.84-40-2 dated the 31st July 1941 sanctioning the supply of certain equipment to the Civic Guards.

2. Letter No.Sc.105/41-42 dated the 20th Feby. 1942 from the I.G. P. in Mysore stating that the quality of the webbing and the type of buckle originally selected had to be slightly altered and consequently, the rate of Re.0-14-6 for the webbing belt originally accepted had to be enhanced to Rs.1/2/- a belt, ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ and that orders were placed by him direct with Messrs. Moosa Raza Saheb & Sons, and in the circumstances requesting sanction to the enhanced rate of Rs.1/2/- a belt and to the purchase made without reference to the S.P.C.

ORDER NO W/880-81/W 84-40-6 dt 25-2-42

Sanctioned.

Chief Secy. to Govt.

To
The I.G.P.
The Comptroller through Finl.Sectt.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:—

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2. Letter No.Sc.106/41-42 dated the 20th February 1942 from the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore stating that the quality of the webbing and the type of buckle originally selected had to be slightly altered and consequently, the rate of Re.0-14-6 for the webbing belt originally accepted had to be enhanced to Rs.1/2/- a belt, and that orders were placed by him direct with Messrs. Moosa Raza Saheb & Sons, and requesting in the circumstances, sanction to the enhanced rate of Rs.1/2/- a belt and to the purchase made without reference to the Stores Purchase Committee.

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ORDER NO.1880-81/W.84-40-6

Dated, Bangalore, the 25th February 1942.

S A N C T I O N E D.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government, through Finl. Sectt.

1284/W.

Supply of Uniforms and Equipment to Civic Guards

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Serial No.

OFFICE OF THE ... FOR LAW
MAR 7 1942
No. 8921

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From The Insp. Police.
Sc. 6/41-42 & 28th Feb. 42 re the Supply of uniforms and equipment to Civic Guards

Subd for perusal and orders whether the proposals at the I.G.P. may be approved. The I.G.P., while submitting his previous proposals gave an indication as to the Cost. Uniforms with equipment was provided to 1000 Civic Guards and the present sanctioned strength is 1800. The I.G.P. suggests an yearly allowance of Rs 4/- for present cost of Sandals. In addition to the article of equipment previously sanctioned he has proposed the addition of a lathi, a whistle and a cap badge. Perhaps the proposals of the I.G.P. may be generally approved and purchase without reference to the S.I.C. He will be requested to send an estimate of expenditure to be incurred for the purpose to facilitate the issue a G.O. in the matter.

An exact estimate of the expenditure proposed to be incurred may be called for.

The provision of Lathis for the Civic Guards is a point for Consideration.

Civic Guard
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Chief Secy
6/3/42

Law Minister
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Chief Sec... Govt. of M...
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NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

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7-3-42

I.G.P. proposals are Sanctioned. Hy Cost may be intimated as soon as orders are settled regarding Police — 8.3.42

Supply of Uniforms and equipment to Civic Guards

File No. 128/11/W of 191

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

Subd with a rep to the IGP
with memo to Comptr & SPC
with rep to Law Minister who orders as follows

(28/10/43)

Dsm
28/10/43

Issued No 1963/W dt 10-3-42 to the I.G.P.
" Memo. Nos. 1964-5/W " to the Secy, S.P.C. & the Comptroller.

Tele {gram : POLICE / phone : 2108

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

1284/41

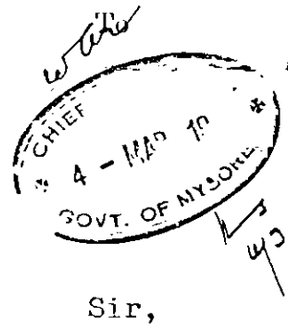
OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. Sc.6/41-42.

Bangalore dated February 28, 1942.

FROM

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.



To The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

Supply of Uniforms and Equipment to Civic Guards.

Sir,

I have the honor to invite a reference to your letter No.1507/ of the 16th January raising the sanctioned strength of the Civic Guards to 1,800/-.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining khaki cloth, it has been found impossible, to secure the extra khaki required for uniforms for these Civic guards. I have managed however to secure grey Mazri cloth and suggest that the Civic guards to be enlisted hereafter be supplied with grey shirts and shorts along with the other articles of equipment sanctioned in Government Order No.452/3/W.84-40-2 dated the 31st July 1941.

In this connection I suggest that, instead of supplying leather ~~pattern~~ Pathan sandals, which are most unpopular, each Civic guard to be enlisted hereafter may be paid an yearly allowance of Rs.4/- (present cost of sandals) out of which he will be required to provide himself with a pair of brown leather walking shoes.

It is also proposed to issue Grey shirts and shorts to the Civic guards already enlisted when the time comes for making new issues to them and to pay them also an allowance of Rs.4/- to provide themselves with shoes instead of making further issues of sandals.

In addition to the articles of equipment previously sanctioned, I propose the addition of a lathi, a whistle, and cap badge for each civic guard and request you kindly to convey the sanction of Government to these proposals.

In view of the urgency of the matter, and the almost daily rise in prices I request that may be permitted to purchase the required articles direct from approved contractors without reference to the Stores Purchase Committee.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Inspector General of Police.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, 10th March 1942.

No. 1963/W

From

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

To

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

Sir,

Supply of uniforms & equipment to Civic Guards.

With reference to your letter No.Sc.6 dated the 28th February 1942 on the above subject, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the proposals contained in your above letter. I am also to request you kindly to intimate the cost of the materials as soon as rates are settled and orders placed to facilitate the issue of Government Order in the matter.

As regards the last para of your letter, I am to convey the approval of Government to the purchase by you of the required articles direct from approved contractors without reference to the Stores Purchase Committee.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) M.G. Mehkri.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 1964-5/W Dated the 10th March 1942.

Encl

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Comptr & Govt + S P C. with a copy of the Inspector General of Police's letter dated the 28th February 1942, for information.

For Chief Secretary to Government

Letter No.Sc.6/41-42 dated the 28th February 1942 from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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Supply of Uniforms and Equipment to Civic Guards.

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I have the honour to invite a reference to your letter No.1507/W ~~xxxx~~ of the 16th January raising the sanctioned strength of the Civic Guards to 1,800/-.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining khaki cloth, it has been found impossible to secure the extra khaki required for uniforms for these Civic Guards. I have managed however to secure grey Mazri cloth and suggest that the Civic Guards to be enlisted hereafter be supplied with grey shirts and shorts along with the other articles of equipment sanctioned in Government Order No.452/3/W.84-40-2 dated the 31st July 1941.

In this connection, I suggest that, instead of supplying leather pathan sandals, which are most unpopular, each Civic Guard to be enlisted hereafter may be paid an yearly allowance of Rs.4/- (present cost of sandals) out of which he will be required to provide himself with a pair of brown leather walking shoes.

It is also proposed to issue grey shirts and shorts to the Civic Guards already enlisted when the time comes for making new issues to them and to pay them also an allowance of Rs.4/- to provide themselves with shoes instead of making further issues of sandals.

In addition to the articles of equipment previously sanctioned, I propose the addition of a lathi, a whistle, and cap badge for each Civic Guard and request you kindly to convey the sanction of Government to these proposals.

In view of the urgency of the matter and the almost daily rise in prices I request that I may be permitted to purchase the required articles direct from approved contractors without reference to the Stores Purchase Committee.

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